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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated January 22, 2008, rejecting claims 124, 132-137, 139-143, 145-150, 155-159, and 163-174.

A Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review is enclosed.

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